

534 Beebe Court
Frederick, MD 21703
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Dear Mr. Weisberg,

I am writing to explain my end of the misunderstanding that occurred this summer. When I last saw you in May, you had told me that you had nothing new because you were concerned with the Norman Mailer manuscript which Carol Deck had been working on. You gave me her address and phone number. I had tried calling her several times, only to reach an answering machine full of messages (and so I could not leave one because there must have been no space on the tape). (I am not sure if it was her answering machine because no name was mentioned in the message.) Then, I wrote her a letter asking her to contact me regarding the manuscript or to contact you if she felt more comfortable doing so. Because I had not heard from her, I assumed (incorrectly) that she had contacted you. The last time I spoke to you, you also said that you would try to reach Carol as well. You also mentioned that you would first ask another Hood graduate (whom you had been working with) to finish typing the manuscript. Because I had also not heard from you, I assumed that you received the manuscript from Carol and had given it to the other young lady to type.

I understand your frustration and disappointment, and I apologize for my role in this misunderstanding. In hindsight, I should have contacted you to tell you what I had done. I offer my sincere apology. It is also a shame because I had spent most of my summer looking for a full-time job and doing minor odd jobs on the side.

I am enclosing the diskette which contains the Senator Russell Dissent manuscript. It was typed on a Macintosh using Microsoft Word Version 5.1. If there is anything else I can do for you in the future, please feel free to call me. I have enjoyed working with you in the past. I wish you and your wife well.

Sincerely,



Rebecca Price